



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Koichi Takeuchi	Atty. Docket No.	075834.00120
Serial No.:	09/982,433	Group Art Unit:	2823
Filed:	October 18, 2001	Examiner:	Brook Kebede
Invention:		"EXPOSURE METHOD"	

AMENDMENT A

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Applicant respectfully requests a two month extension of time, up to and including September 16, 2003 in which to respond to the Office Action dated April 16, 2003.

In response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

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